SENATE BILL 634

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-3-406, relative to hours for retail sales.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-3-406, is amended by deleting subsection (e) and substituting instead the following:
 - (e) No retail store shall sell, give away or otherwise dispense alcoholic beverages except between the hours of eight o'clock a.m. (8:00 a.m.) and eleven o'clock p.m. (11:00 p.m.) on Monday through Saturday and between the hours of noon (12:00 p.m.) and eleven o'clock p.m. (11:00 p.m.) on Sunday. The store may not be open to the general public except during regular business hours. Likewise, all retail liquor stores shall be closed for business on Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-3-406, is further amended by deleting subsection (h) and substituting instead the following:
 - (h) No retailer shall sell or give away any alcoholic beverages on the following holidays: Christmas and Thanksgiving.
- SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.